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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

Sir:

In response to the Office action dated October 24, 2006, applicant responds as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which beings on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.